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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

RYANT TRIMALE PRATT,

Plaintiff,

v.

B. HEDRICKS, et al.,

Defendants.

Case No. <u>16-cv-01129-JD</u>

ORDER OF DISMISSAL

This case was opened when plaintiff wrote a letter to the Court about prison conditions. In an effort to protect his rights, it was filed as a new case. Plaintiff was advised that he needed to file a formal complaint and was given twenty-eight days to do so. He also was sent a notice that he had not paid the filing fee or applied for leave to proceed in forma pauperis ("IFP"); again, he was allowed twenty-eight days to either pay the fee or file the application. A copy of the Court's form for applications to proceed IFP was provided with the notice, along with a return envelope.

Twenty-eight days has passed and plaintiff has not filed a complaint, an IFP application or otherwise communicated with the Court. This case is therefore **DISMISSED** without prejudice. No fee is due. The clerk shall close the file.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: May 23, 2016

JAMES DONATO United States District Judge

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1 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 2 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA 3 RYANT TRIMALE PRATT, 4 Case No. 16-cv-01129-JD Plaintiff, 5 v. **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE** 6 B. HEDRICKS, et al., 7 Defendants. 8 9 I, the undersigned, hereby certify that I am an employee in the Office of the Clerk, U.S. 10 District Court, Northern District of California. 11 12 Northern District of California That on May 23, 2016, I SERVED a true and correct copy(ies) of the attached, by placing United States District Court 13 said copy(ies) in a postage paid envelope addressed to the person(s) hereinafter listed, by 14 depositing said envelope in the U.S. Mail, or by placing said copy(ies) into an inter-office delivery 15 receptacle located in the Clerk's office. 16 Ryant Trimale Pratt ID: H-06191 17 Salinas Valley State Prison 18 P.O. Box 1050 Soledad, CA 93960 19 20 Dated: May 23, 2016 21 22 Susan Y. Soong 23 Clerk, United States District Court 24 25 26 LISA R. CLARK, Deputy Clerk to the Honorable JAMES DONATO 27

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